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INSTRUCTIONS TO GET FROM KIRBO THE ADDRESS OF COL. PERDUCHÉ AND POSSIBLY OF OTHERS (1942)

From : MOSCOW

To : STOCKHOLM

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To AKASTO(1).

Find out from KIRBO(11) the exact addresses of Colonel PERDUCHÉ[PERRYUch](11).

[56 groups unrecoverable]

KIRBO(e) and PERDUCHÉ(e) must be used for our work.

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NORTHERN(3-TTMYJ)(1v)

Notes: (a) It is not clear whether KIRBO and PERDUCHÉ are the subject or not of this sentence.

(b) Referred to in STOCKHOLM's No. 519 of 18th March 1942 (not yet published).

Comments: (1) AKASTO : Col. M. I. NIKITUSHEV, Soviet Military Attaché in STOCKHOLM.

(11) KIRBO : Unidentified. Possibly a transcription of a French name such as Courbaud, Courbot. See also MOSCOW's No. 221 24th March 1942 (1/WH/T1588) and STOCKHOLM's No. 715 16th April 1942 (1/WH/T1589). There are other unpublished occurrences in March 1942.

(111) PERDUCHÉ : Unidentified. Presumably the French surname. Also occurs in MOSCOW's No. 221 of 24th March 1942 (1/WH/T1588).

(1v) NORTHERN : MOSCOW signatory and addressee, so far only occurring messages sent in the Scandinavian lanes. Probably Northern Department.

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